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TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, June 21.

Van Horne is expected to-night.

Three hundred Ontario excursionists arrived yesterday. Over 70 are for Calgary.

Dubois, the family murderer was hanged at Quebec and Peter Davis at Belleville, yesterday.

A terrible cyclone swept over Illinois yesterday. At Earlville the storm struck a school house, killing eight occupants, including the teacher. Thirty lives are reported lost.

WINNIPEG, June 27.

The Canadian rifle team for Bisley common left on Wednesday.

Lieutenant-governor McLellan of Nova Scotia died on Thursday.

The second Ontario farmers excursion arrived to-day. Thirty-six go to Calgary.

Two pleasure boats, each containing human bodies dead or alive, went over Niagara falls this week.

The Canadian Pacific steamer Sardonyx was wrecked off Queen Charlotte's Islands, B. C., last week.

Thirty persons were drowned and nine vessels wrecked on the coast of Scotland within the past week.

Teams of Manitoba and Northwest cricketers left on Wednesday evening to play a series of games in Eastern Canada and the States.

The mounted police provision contracts for Battleford, Fort Saskatchewan and Edmonton have been awarded to A. Macdonald & Co. The beef contract at Edmonton and Fort Saskatchewan has been awarded to Moret & Lamoureux.

A letter from Biggar, chief engineer of the Northwest Central railway survey says that work on the line west of the Elbow on the south side of the Saskatchewan river is progressing rapidly, as nearly as possible along the survey of the original line of the Canadian Pacific railway.

An Ottawa despatch to the Free Press says the government has made arrangements with the Hudson's Bay railway company to give $80,000 a year for 20 years to the road from Winnipeg to Grand Rapids in addition to the land grant already given. The promoters leave for England soon to solicit capital, feeling confident that the success of the scheme is now assured.

Osler of Toronto and Jas. Ross of Montreal have arrived from England and have secured the capital necessary for building the Calgary & Edmonton railway. Contracts have been signed for 100 miles from Calgary to Red Deer, to be built this year. Also 50 miles south from Calgary toward Fort Macleod. The whole line is expected to be finished to Edmonton by November 1st, 1891.

The Manitoba government crop bulletin issued to-day, compiled from reports sent simultaneously from 358 correspondents up to June 15th says that though the early part of the season was backward, copious rains and warm weather have started the growth of late, and now grain, root and hay crops are in good condition and promise large yields. Acreage under crop 1,053,263, being an increase over last year of 190,000 acres. Average rain fall in the province 179 inches.

WINNIPEG, June 28.

Construction commenced on the Calgary & Edmonton railway yesterday five miles up Nose creek.

Deputy minister of interior Burgess left yesterday for the Northwest and British Columbia. Dewdney follows soon.

SASKATOON, June 27.

Tenders are invited for the conveyance of a weekly mail via Saskatoon to Clark's crossing, Alvan, Batoche and Duck lake.

One of Mr. Miller's little boys found a pocket book the other day containing over a hundred dollars, and the owner munificently rewarded the child by offering him 50 cents.

The first train crossed the river over the new bridge on Tuesday and track is now laid for some distance on the west side. The station building is in course of erection on the west side and will be finished to-morrow.

Anthrax has made its appearance in this district and several farmers have lost from one to four head of cattle. In Duck lake and Batoche the disease is most virulent, some 50 head having died there within a week. Precautions are being taken to prevent its becoming epidemic, and the provisions of the contagious diseases ordinance are being strictly enforced by the authorities.

The customs collector at Killarney, Manitoba, reports numbers of Dakota settlers moving into Manitoba.

LOCAL.

JAS. MCDONALD has tomatoes in bloom.

W. G. IBBOTSON returned from Calgary on Wednesday.

CROPS are far advanced and universally looking well.

PUBLIC school closes for two months holidays on Monday.

CHAS. STEWART of Clover Bar drove Thursday's outgoing stage.

P. PRUDEN trader will arrive from Lac la Biche to-day or to-morrow.

H. GOODRIDGE arrived from Bellingham Bay, Washington on Wednesday.

W. B. STENNETT and W. Kelly came in from Battie river on Monday's stage.

LARGE quantities of freight have arrived this week for almost all Edmonton merchants.

J. NORRIS of Norris & Carey left for Saddle lake on Thursday to look after his I. D. beef contract.

JAS. MCDONALD has the contract of erecting a belfry on the public school house, and has the work well under way.

REPORTED that there is a probability of Lariviere & Richard, traders of Lesser Slave lake, selling out to the H. B. Co.

THE merchants of this district have formed themselves into an association with a view to limiting indiscriminate credit.

THE flat boat belonging to Rev. J. A. McLachlan which was carried away by high water last week was captured at Victoria.

THE H. B. CO., at Edmonton has paid out $23,379, for freight since February 1st, 1890, of which $16,500 was to residents of Edmonton.

D. MALONEY of St. Albert brought in town on Wednesday a bunch of barley just beginning to head, which measured 44 inches in length.

THE assessment of Poplar lake public school district has been completed by J. A. Carson. The total assessment is about $44,000.

LACHLAN KENNEDY left on Thursday afternoon by skiff for Battleford and Prince Albert. He may go all the way to Winnipeg by water.

THE Fort Saskatchewan ferry scow which broke away last week, was captured about eight miles above Victoria. It is being brought back.

A PUBLIC meeting was held at Poplar lake school house on Tuesday evening and was addressed by Frank Oliver on Northwest assembly matters

P. G. GRAY, late of Edmonton and still later of Chicago, has removed to Boston to act as agent of the Fairbank meat canning company of Chicago.

ANDERSON, crown timber agent, presented the BULLETIN on Tuesday with a well grown cucumber, the first of the season, and not grown under glass.

K. G. HARDISTY is erecting a large frame dwelling on his cattle ranch at the upper Victoria trail crossing of the Sturgeon river. A. F. Degge, contractor.

A TELEGRAM was received yesterday by S. S. Taylor informing him that Rev. C. A. Procunier, Methodist missionary, would arrive on Monday's stage.

The Free Press of June 13th says: A big gang of men who have been working on the Regina & Long lake railway arrived in the city from the west yesterday.

As the usual celebration of St. Jean baptiste day was not held at St. Albert the French Canadians of Edmonton held a picnic on Tuesday in a grove some two miles west of town.

R. TROMBLY arrived on Wednesday from Lac la Biche, accompanied by one of the sisters of charity of that mission to remain a few days. Crops at Lac la Biche look well but roads are very bad owing to wet weather.

THE Regina Journal mention the presentation to Wm. Laurie, brother of Mrs. P. V. Lauvreau of Edmonton, of a handsome silver ink stand and an address by the officers of the Battleford Indian agency, upon his leaving Battleford for Regina.

A BALL was given by the clerks of the H. B. Co., on Thursday evening as a farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Kinnaird. One of the buildings in the fort was used for the occasion and was elaborately and tastefully decorated. Between thirty and forty couples were present. It was unanimously pronounced the affair of the season. Mr. Kinnaird leaves next week to take charge of the H. B. post at the Landing.

THE survey party locating the Calgary & Edmonton railway line were at Lone Pine when this week's stage passed their camp. The line follows the trail almost all along, being furthest away at Scarlett's coulee, which it crosses five miles west of the stopping place.

THEO GOURDE, who has been manager of the culinary department of the Hotel du Canada for 2 years past, has branched out on his own account and to-day opens a restaurant in the building on Main street recently occupied by Jas. McMunn. Mr. McMunn occupies the upper flat of the same building.

GEO. KENNEDY and family arrived from Peace river on Tuesday. Mr. Kennedy has retired from the H. B. service and will occupy his residence on the north side of Rat Creek. Slave lake and river were rising as Mr. Kennedy passed down and the H. B. steamer may possibly get up to the lake.

ST. GEORGE JELLETT, and P. Ottewell of Clover Bar arrived on Tuesday evening from an exploring expedition up the saskatchewan to the mouth of the Clearwater. They passed a large number of miners along the river. Fully half the spruce timber along the river below the mouth of the Clearwater was destroyed by the fires of last summer.

A letter dated Indian Head, June 17th and signed Geo. Thompson, secretary of committee, reads as follows: It has been decided to hold a convention of delegates from the different municipalities in the Territories at Indian Head on Friday, July 4th, for the purpose of discussing the Northwest ordinance with a view to asking the legislative assembly to make some amendments to the same.

RACE horses are getting numerous at Edmonton. Jos. House has brought one in from Calgary and Albert Anderson another from Blind river. P. Campbell's sorrell is of course on hand and J. O'Donnell's smoky, with several counties to hear from. L'Hirondelle of St. Albert and Moosewa of Lake St. Ann are in heavy training for the foot races on the 1st, especially the long distance races.

W. FIELDERS has now three moose, between one and two years old, on his farm, East Edmonton. Two he purchased last fall from E. Taylor, of Lake Ste. Ann; and the third last week from Mr. Bossange of St. Albert. Mr. Bossange had a pair which he purchased last winter but one was gored to death by a bull this spring and so he sold the remaining one to Mr. Fielders. They are kept in a large fenced field and are very tractable, coming at a call of their owner and showing no desire to break out of the enclosure. They wintered well last season on hay and green oat straw. Mr. Fielders has had one of them hitched to a sulky and found it not so difficult to manage as an unbroken colt.

ALEX. KENNEDY, mail carrier for the H. B. Co. in the Peace river district, arrived from Slave lake on Monday on his way to Manitou Portage to visit his family. He states that there was considerable starvation in the Upper Peace river region last winter amongst the Beaver Indians, owing to the great scarcity of moose and other game. He says positively that a number of Indians actually died of starvation. It was altogether impossible for the H. B. Co., the free traders and the missionaries together to relieve the distress existing, owing to the disappearance of game from that region, where it formerly was extraordinarily abundant. The fishery in Lower Slave lake was poor last winter owing to the water in the lake being very low, and as the lake is now still lower the prospects for a good supply of the staple food of that vicinity for next winter is most discouraging.

THE cricket match on Saturday afternoon last, Clover Bar vs. Edmonton, resulted in favor of Edmonton. Clover Bar went in first and made 15 in their first innings and 25 in their second. Edmonton's score was 30 and 55 in the first and second innings respectively. Total score: Edmonton 85. Clover Bar 40. On the Edmonton side the highest single scores were J. A. Petrie 15 and A. Pattison and J. R. Michael 13 each. On the Clover Bar side the highest scores were C. C. West and F. Adamson 9 each, L. Adamson 9. The teams were: Clover Bar—C. C. West, W. Wilkie, J. C. Bremner, F. Adamson, L. Adamson, W. Fielders, W. Chamberlayne, H. Edmiston, A. W. Adamson, P. Hamilton and A. Reith. Edmonton—A. Pattison, E. Looby, F. A. Osborne, J. Mackenzie, J. Looby, J. A. Petrie, J. Thurston, H. C. Wilson, R. G. Hardisty, J. R. Michael and Insp. W. Piercy. The fielding of the Clover Bar team was particularly good.

THE following letter arrived on Monday's mail: Land Dept. C. P. R. Co's, Winnipeg, Manitoba, June 12th, 1890. W. J. Walker, Esq. I beg to acknowledge the receipt of 200 copies of Edmonton district pamphlet, which I will have properly distributed. If you will send me any quantity which you can spare, I shall be able to make good use of them among the farmers shortly to arrive on the summer excursions, by our agent who will meet the trains. Yours truly. L. A. Hamilton, Land Commissioner.

A GENTLEMAN who arrived from North Dakota yesterday with Murdoch McLeod reports agricultural matters in very poor shape in that region this season. Although the rain up to the time of his leaving three weeks ago had been more abundant than in any of the eight years he had been there, the ground was so thoroughly dried out from previous years that it was not enough. The grain was cut down several times by frost after it started, and unless there are continued and heavy rains the crop will be another failure. His record in eight years of wheat raising there is one year 27 bushels, seven years 7 bushels, and he has been as well off as his neighbors. The cause is lack of rainfall, hail storms and frost. Hail insurance is an established institution, the rate being 25 cents an acre.

MESSRS. Fane & Jones, ranchers of Beaver lake, were in town this week. The season has been favorable at Beaver lake, but scarcely as forward as at Edmonton. Crops look well. There was a severe storm a few weeks ago and hail fell but no serious damage was done except that some boats were smashed. The lake is very low and Beaver creek, the outlet of the lake, is dry. The streams coming into the lake from the Beaver hills are now beginning to run owing to recent rains and the lake is consequently rising. Considerable work has been done on the Beaver lake end of the new road to Fort Saskatchewan, and only about a quarter of a mile of cutting remains to make connection with the work done from Fort Saskatchewan. This will be completed shortly, and the new trail will then be followed both winter and summer. It will be a particularly good winter road. Stock is doing well at the lake. Messrs. Fane & Jones are well satisfied with the locality as a place for horse ranching. R. Logan has a herd of about 350 head of cattle, all doing well. Other settlers have smaller bands. M. Mackenzie of Red Deer is now at Beaver lake breaking land for a farm and with his brothers now at Red Deer will locate permanently at Beaver lake.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NEW RESTAURANT.

I beg to announce to the Citizens of Edmonton and surrounding district that I will open a Restaurant on Saturday the 28th June, 1890, in the house formerly occupied by Jas. McMunn, Main Street, and will give meals at all hours. Remember the place. Price of meals 25 cents.

THEOPHILE GOURDE.

PUBLIC MEETING

Colonization Store, Clover Bar,
TUESDAY, JULY 8TH, AT 7 p.m.
To discuss Northwest Assembly matters.
FRANK OLIVER.

DOMINION DAY.

HORSE RACING AND ATHLETIC SPORTS

AT FORT SASKATCHEWAN.

Sports will be held on The New Race Track at Fort Saskatchewan, on

TUESDAY, JULY 1ST, 1890,

including Horse and pony races, Foot races, Jumping, Pole leaping, Putting the stone and other games.

OFFICALS:

JUDGES—Superintendant Griesbach and F. Fraser Tims.
CLERK OF THE COURSES—Insp. Piercy.
REFEREE—Staff Sgt. Joyce.
STARTER—HORSE RACES—Con. White.
" FOOT " Mr. A. R. Lang.

About $200 worth of prizes.

SPORTS BEGIN AT 10 A.M.

A. McNICOL,
Secretary

THE EDMONTON BULLETIN is published every Saturday morning, at the office, Main street, Edmonton. Subscription—Two Dollars per annum. Advertising rates—Standing advertisements, two dollars a line per annum; transient advertisements, ten cents a line for first insertion and five cents a line for each subsequent insertion. FRANK OLIVER, proprietor.

EDMONTON BULLETIN, JUNE 28, 1890.

TWO POLICIES.

It is probably needless to mention to readers of this paper that the Calgary Herald does not like the BULLETIN. A few weeks ago it went very far out of its way to criticize adversely—and falsely—an immigration pamphlet issued from this office. Its criticism was not received with that meekness of spirit which its very fresh editor no doubt expected. It has now dropped the subject of immigration pamphlets and occupies a column and a half the more or less valuable space on the first page of its issue of June 18th in pointing out to its limited circle of readers that it does not agree with the editorial policy of the BULLETIN. As the Herald has been kind enough to forward a free copy of its issue containing the article in question to a large number of the residents of Edmonton it has saved the necessity of reproducing its tiresome inanity in these columns in order to show the readers of the BULLETIN the grade of imported idiocy which the enthusiastic but unwary stockholders of the Herald publishing company (limited) are being bled to provide. The apology which the BULLETIN has to offer for referring to the scurrility is that it desires to use it as a means of contrasting its policy as an independent paper with that of the Herald as the representative of a party. Not as a party organ, for an organ is expected to present and defend the case of its masters, which the Herald has neither brains nor courage to do. It can only play the obedient cur which from a safe distance snaps and barks at whatever it is told without asking or knowing why.

The BULLETIN'S policy is to give an independent opinion on public questions of interest to its readers and supporters, and to deal with these questions in such a manner as shall be interesting to its readers and of present and future advantage to its supporters. In pursuance of that policy, a few weeks ago it mentioned a rumor then current in town that the Indian reserve on the south side of the river was in the hands of a syndicate who had in view the establishment upon it of a speculative town site. The Herald is very wrathy with the BULLETIN for having published this item, the accusation contained in which it "happens" to know is utterly and absolutely false. When it is remembered that no accusation was made or hinted at, if the rumor was so utterly and absolutely false as the Herald declares, there was surely nothing in the affair to warrant hysterics on its part, if it were guided by ordinary principles of common sense. The BULLETIN had heard a rumor which was of interest to its readers and of material importance to its supporters. In accordance with what it believed to be its duty towards its readers and supporters it published that rumor. The Herald would have had it suppress what was of interest to those who pay their good money expecting to get the news from its columns, and asks "can the people of Edmonton seriously believe that such blackguardism is serving the interests of their town?" One would think from the Herald article that the publication of such an item, would result in the annihilation of the place and people tolerating it. For the information of the Herald it may be well to mention that no alarming signs have been seen in the heavens since the item appeared, people generally, including the editor, have been taking three meals a day with pleasing regularity, and stranger still the Indian department has been at some pains to inform the public that the reserve in question is to be, and therefore has not been, sold, and further information has been published that it will be sold by public competition. There is just one reasonable way of accounting for the Herald's hysterics on this matter and that is that the rumor was correct as far as intention went, but that its timely publication made the completion of the scheme too dangerous to be attempted. As the matter stands at present the reserve is not liable to be used by speculators to the disadvantage of the present town and settlement of Edmonton. If the course of the BULLETIN has tended in any degree to bring the matter into that shape it is for an intelligent public to judge if that course has not been more greatly to the general advantage than the course desired by the Herald, of suppressing the news in order that the feelings of its masters might not be hurt nor their schemes thwarted. There is a similarity between the policy of the Herald and that of the BULLETIN in that both uphold the interests of those who support them. The difference is that the BULLETIN is supported by the people and the Herald at least hopes to be by the government.

The Herald finds fault with the BULLETIN for having advocated in strong terms the erection of a proper registry office at Edmonton, for which parliament voted a sum at its last session. Harping on that string it accuses the BULLETIN of having declared that "responsible ministers wish to use the public money for speculative purposes, witholding it at present to 'bear' the property of present owners, with a view of expending it hereafter to 'bull' that or some other property in which they may then have a larger personal interest." The BULLETIN did not accuse the responsible ministers of any such thing. The accusation was made, as set forth in the beginning of the article on the subject, by "Persons high in authority and in the confidence of the government" who "give it to be understood that these buildings will not be erected until the crossing of the Saskatchewan by the Calgary & Edmonton railway has been determined." The BULLETIN did not declare that the ministers were actually doing thus and so but it did declare that if the statements of the persons high in authority were correct their course was injurious to Edmonton and discreditable to themselves, and now begs to repeat and emphasize that statement, which it challenges any man or newspaper to deny.

The sympathetic soul of the Herald is harrowed all to pieces by the fear that the BULLETIN'S advocacy is injurious to Edmonton's interests. This is how the Herald in the same article advocates those interests. "The question of the crossing of the Saskatchewan at Edmonton is a serious one; it is mainly an engineering question, and there will be every excuse for the government if it hesitates to expend money on a registry office, court house and police lock up on a site which may be found ultimately far away from the bulk of the population." The dullness of the Herald evidently prevents it from understanding that to excuse is to accuse. If it is to be taken at its own estimate as being in the government's secrets and therefore, being a friend of the government, expressing the government's views, the sentence given above must fix more firmly in the mind of any one the idea that it is the deliberate intention of those for whom it speaks to speculate on the prospects of Edmonton if circumstances will permit. If they are not doing so they should make their cur cease his yelping, which discredits them, and turn their promises, which he gives to be understood are mere empty words, into accomplished facts. If they are doing so it is for the public of Edmonton to consider whether they would gain or lose most by letting matters drift without vigorous protest. The very fact that the Herald has gone to such a length to deprecate all protest—when the amount of its interests in Edmonton's welfare is compared with its interest in forwarding the schemes of those who are behind it—goes to prove that protest is what they are afraid of and that what Edmonton has to fear is not that protest shall be too vigorous but that a failure to take the right stand at the right time shall allow of the schemes of the Herald's backers being put through; to whose benefit and to whose injury no very great intelligence is required to know.

The Herald's effort to appear the disinterested friend of Edmonton would have better tended to accomplish its desire of discrediting the BULLETIN, had it not in attempting to excuse double dealing on the part of its masters found it necessary to belie the situation and prospects of Edmonton. When the Herald gives its readers to understand that there are engineering difficulties peculiar to the crossing of the Saskatchewan at Edmonton it simply lies maliciously, and shows plainly its full intention of doing this town and district all the harm in its power. There is a very simple way in which the question of the good faith of the government in this matter can be settled,—be it remembered that it is the Herald and other alleged friends who have made the accusation of lack of good faith, not the BULLETIN. If the erection of public buildings necessary in the highest degree to the welfare of this whole district depends on the location of the railway crossing of the Saskatchewan it is not difficult for the government to arrange with the railway company and have the locating party now at work come on to Edmonton when they have completed the line to Red Deer and locate the crossing of the Saskatchewan at once, so that these buildings may be erected this year, the requirements of the public service properly met and the expressed wish of parliament carried out.

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A full line of Spectacles always on Hand.

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HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY.

EDMONTON,

Our arrangements for the season being complete we are now showing a carefully and well selected variety of

Stylish Dress Fabrics; Select Millinery, Mantle and Print costumes.

Black and colored Jerseys and Jackets.

Prints, Ginghams, Shirting and other cotton productions.

Carpets, Linoleum Floor Cloth, Matts, Cocoa and Jute Matting.

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AND

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COAL OIL at prices to suit the times.

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N. B.—Ladies requiring WINDOW SHADES. For their homes will find it to their advantage to CALL AND GET PRICES.

SUICIDE.

On Wednesday morning of this week a young man named John Coyle, confined at Fort Saskatchewan as a lunatic, committed suicide with a revolver by shooting himself through the head. He died at noon on Wednesday. He was about eighteen years of age and came, it is thought, from New York State. He was first seen in this part of the country last summer, wandering aimlessly about sometimes, giving his destination as Hudson's Bay. He was picked up by a police patrol in June of last year on the road between Edmonton and Victoria and brought to Fort Saskatchewan where he has been confined as a lunatic ever since. The necessary forms were gone through by Supt. Griesbach to secure his removal to Manitoba penitentiary where lunatics from the Northwest are confined, but for some reason or other, the removal, which is at the pleasure of the lieutenant-governor, was not made. As the young man was weak-minded rather than insane and not at all inclined to be violent in any way he was given light employment occasionally around the barracks, and was not kept under the strict watch that would have been thought necessary had he been violent. On Wednesday morning he was employed in sweeping out the guard room. The guard, John Mewhort, who occupied one of the cells as a room, went out for a few moments, and locked the door of his room after him, but concealed the key instead of taking it with him. He had only been out a minute or two when he heard the report of a revolver. Rushing back to the guard room he found the door of his room unlocked, the key in the door and his revolver gone. Coyle had taken the revolver and going outside the barrack square had put the muzzle of the revolver to his head just over the right temple and fired. The ball passed through the head blowing out part of the brains and a large piece of bone from the skull, shattering the bones of the skull considerably besides. He was picked up at once and carried in, but was unconscious and remained so until noon, when he died. Dr. McInnis, coroner, was notified and went down from Edmonton on Wednesday evening. The inquest was held on Thursday forenoon before the following jury: F. Fraser Tims, foreman, Thos. Burleigh, A. Lang, W. G. Ross, R. Minnie and J. Johnstone. Dr. Moncreiff, police surgeon, made a surgical examination, evidence was taken which established the facts given above, and a verdict was returned to the effect that the deceased had committed suicide; with a recommendation that in future all persons adjudged to be insane should be removed as speedily as possible to a place where they could be properly cared for.

ABAMEMENT OF NUISANCES.

The Northwest ordinance for the abatement of nuisances in unincorporated towns, provides as follows,

In any unincorporated town, no person shall suffer the accumulation upon his premises, or deposit, or permit the deposit upon any lot belonging to him, of anything which may endanger the public health, or deposit upon, on or into any street, square, lane, by-way, lake, pond, bank, river, stream, sewer or water, any manure, or other refuse, or vegetable or animal matter, or other filth or nuisance.

Every householder and every hotel and resturant keeper or other person shall dispose of all garbage, for the disposal of which he is responsible, either by burning the same or by placing it in a proper covered receptacle for swill and house offal, the contents of which shall, between the 15th day of May and the 1st day of November, be regularly removed at least once a week.

Between the 15th day of May and the 1st day of November, no swine shall be kept within the limits of any unincorporated town, except in pens seventy feet distant from any house, with floors kept free from standing water, and regularly cleansed and disinfected; nor shall any swine be permitted to run at large at any time in any unincorporated town.

Excavations, where foul water accumulates, shall be filled up, or when otherwise dangerous, shall be safely covered over or fenced in.

Any person, contravening any of the provisions of this Ordinance, shall be guilty of an offence, and for each and every such offence, shall be liable, on summary conviction before a Justice of the Peace, to a penalty of not more than ten dollars, together with costs of prosecution.

Mr. Joseph Tennant, deputy Collector of of Customs at Gretna, speaking to a Winnipeg Tribune reporter, told him that numbers of Dakota settlers were crossing the line. One day last week no less than seventeen families, having 77 head of cattle, herds of sheep, several horses and considerable household effects, reported and were passed. Scarcely a day passes but several families cross from the domain of Uncle Sam to seek homes under the Union Jack. A large number of those crossing last week were going into the Lake Dauphin district, along the west shores of Lake Manitoba.

The Kamloops Sentinel of the last issue received tries to explain away the facts cited by the BULLETIN in proof that British Columbia is naturally a customer rather than a competitor of the Northwest in agricultural products. These facts were not cited with a view of belittling the agricultural capabilities of British Columbia in the least. No doubt the agricultural sections of British Columbia are all that is claimed for them. But inasmuch as these sections are limited in area and isolated in location, when they are considered in connection with the vastly more important mining, lumbering and shipping industries of the province it must be plain that they cannot, were they twice as good as they are, supply the demands that are and will be made upon them, by these three industries. It is the cheap and abundant food supply now and hereafter obtainable from the territories that will assist more than any other agency in the profitable and extensive development of these three leading industries of the Pacific province.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given warning all persons against settling on the Indian Reserve known as "Pass-Pass-Chase's Reserve" situated at Two Hills, five miles south of Edmonton on the Calgary trail, the same being bounded as follows viz:

"By a line beginning at a post in mound, "twenty-eight chains and forty-six links, "more or less, North, and seventy-one chains "and seventy-five links, more or less, West "of the North East corner of Section 7, Tp. "52, Range, 24, West of the4th. Initial Meridian, and running East five hundred and "sixty chains, more or less, to a post, thence "South four hundred and fifty-three chains "and forty-three links, more or less to a post, "thence West five hundred and sixty-two "chains and seven links, more or less, to a "post and thence North four hundred and "fifty-seven chains and fourteen links to the "point of beginning."

Further notice is hereby given that no compensation will be allowed for any improvements that may be found on any portion of the said Reserve at time of sale thereof.

By order of
The Supt. Gen'l of Indian Affairs,
(Sgd.) HAYTER REED,
Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
for Man. and N. W. T.

Regina,
June 9th, 1890.

MEN, BOY'S AND GIRL'S

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Gents' Furnishing and Ladies Dress Goods.

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GENERAL.

The Saskatchewan of Prince Albert is getting out a special immigration number.

The Galt railway is making excellent progress, and will be completed before September 1st.

Five thousand tons of rails for the Regina & Long lake railway are now on the way from Port Arthur.

The Lethbridge Turf and Athletic association is applying for incorporation under the Northwest Territories ordinances.

The Lethbridge News says that Sir A. T. Galt has offered $10,000 towards the establishment of a hospital at Lethbridge.

The great N. P. & M. hotel in Winnipeg is to be called the Manitoba and will be opened for business about January 1st, 1891.

The St. Paul Despatch gives an Ottawa rumor that Sir Adolphe Caron, minister of Militia, is to be made collector of customs at Quebec.

The Regina Journal of June 12th says: The new railway bridge over the Saskatchewan at Saskatoon will be completed on Monday next.

It is estimated that there is an area of 140 miles long by 50 wide of excellent agricultural country in the Rainy lake and river district of Ontario.

Macleod rejoices in the prospect of being the point at which the Calgary & Edmonton southern extension will cross the proposed C. P. R. short line through the Crow's nest pass.

The Qu'Appelle Vidette of June 12 mentions that a number of settlers from the county of Russell, Manitoba, had passed through the day before with their stock on the way to Calgary.

The Saskatchewan Herald mentions a remarkable lessening in the numbers of gophers in the Battleford district. The Yorkton correspondent of the Regina Journal mentions their decrease in that settlement also.

The Macleod Gazzette says that 85 per cent of the policemen whose time is expiring this spring are taking their discharge, and maintains that in this large per centage is ample proof of the unpopularity of Commissioner Herchmer in the force.

Medicine Hat hospital cost $15,000 and will cost from $3,000 to $4,500 a year to maintain. The amount collected to date is $13,806. The federal government gave $2,000. Northwest assembly $500. C.P.R. Co. $500, Galt Co. $500; the balance is made up by private subscriptions running from $1 to $300.

The following appears as a quotation in the Regina Journal: "When people are industrious, frugal and temperate, as the Canadians are, and have a country as full of natural resources as Canada, no fiscal policy can prevent them from doing pretty well. But the fruits of the protectionist policy in Canada afford no support to the belief that communities can be made rich by taxation."

A recent order-in-council appearing in the Canada Gazette provides that judges of the supreme court are to be allowed the actual moving expenses from their residence to the place at which the court is held, and return and $5 a day during the time they are absent from home besides. In special cases the judge may use his own team for which he may be allowed $5 a day.

A proposition is being made at Prince Albert to secure a charter in local hands for a railway line from that point direct to Fort Churchill on Hudson's Bay. This is the line that the whole territories want, and unless the line from Winnipeg materializes shortly, a big push should be made by the Territories unitedly for the line direct from Prince Albert.

A Washington despatch says: Senator Edmunds introduced a bill to-day providing that all funds or other property lately belonging, or in the possession, or claimed by the corporation of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, to which it shall appear there is no lawful private right, shall be devoted to the benefit of the public common schools in Utah, the money to be disposed of by the secretary of the interior.

From the Winnipeg Commercial of June 11th it appears that Manitoba has not had the refreshing showers of the latter end of May and early June that have favored Edmonton. Wheat, oats and barley never looked better at this season of the year but the weather has been exceptionally hot, and unless dune rains should fall only a two-thirds crop may be expected. Unless very heavy rains should come the hay crop is already a failure. The vast Boyne swamp in Southwestern Manitoba is dry and without hay growth. The latest accounts are that warm showers have fallen in Eastern Assiniboia and western and central Manitoba.

BIRTH.

McKERNAN—On Tuesday, June 24th the wife of R. McKernan, South Edmonton, of a daughter.

METEOROLOGICAL.

Weather report for week ending Saturday morning, June 28th, 1890. Reported for the BULLETIN by Mr. Alexander Taylor, observer at Edmonton

	Max.	Min.
Saturday,	69	
Sunday,	71	44
Monday,	74	46
Tuesday,	66	48
Wednesday,	70	41
Thursday,	80	46
Friday,	77	46
Saturday,		49

Barometer rising, 27.645.
Rainfall 0.30 inches.
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Rough Battens, per M,	25.00
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" " dressed and pointed	4.00
Shelving, 1x10, dressed on 2 sides	32.50
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Lath, per b'dle $7. Shingles, per M	4.00
Panel, per M 35. Base, per M,	40.00
Flooring, per M 40. Siding, per M,	40.00
5 casing p.lineal ft. 2c. O. G. crown	2½c
Quarter round	1c
Beading, per lineal foot	1c
Band Moulding, per lineal foot	2½c
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Rough Battens per M $25.	
Fence Pickets, rough, per bdle	3 00
Dressed and pointed	4.00
Shingles, per M $4.00 Lath per b'dle	7.00
Base " " $40.00. Panel per M	$35.00
Shelving 1x10 per M dressed 2 sides	32.50
Inch lumber dressed 1 side per M	30.00
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